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NPIC/PEG (11/83)**ARMS DELIVERY**  
**QADIMAH PORT FACILITIES, SAUDI ARABIA**

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1. **SIGNIFICANCE:** AN ARMS DELIVERY IS IN PROGRESS. (SWN)
2. **REMARKS:** FORTY-SEVEN MEDIUM TANKS AND EIGHT PROBABLE MEDIUM TANKS ARE ON HEAVY-LIFT TRANSPORTERS ON THE MOLE NEAR A CHI FENG KOU-CLASS ROLL-ON/ROLL-OFF (RO/RO) MERSHIP WHICH HAS ARRIVED AT THE PORT . MOST OF THE TANKS ARE CANVAS COVERED; HOWEVER, 16 ARE CAMOUFLAGE PAINTED INDICATING THAT THE TANKS ARE PROBABLY PART OF THE CONTINUING ARMS DELIVERIES FROM CHINA. FIVE 57MM ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY GUNS AND TWO PROBABLE FIRE CONTROL RADAR VANS ARE ALSO ON THE MOLE. ONE BEZHITSA/POLTAVA-CLASS MERSHIP, WITH TWO TRUCKS VISIBLE IN ONE OF THE OPEN CARGO HATCHES, IS AT THE MOLE. A FLOATING CRANE IS OPERATING OUTBOARD OF THE MERSHIP. (SWN)

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THE PORT OF QADIMAH IS THE PRIMARY TRANSSHIPMENT POINT FOR FREE WORLD, WARSAW PACT, AND CHINESE ARMS SHIPMENTS DESTINED FOR IRAQ. (SWN)

3.  COORDINATES 22-21-13N 039-05-36E

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